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In re Application of: Richard L. Klevans  
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Filing Date: October 26, 2000  
Examiner: Prenell P. Jones  
Group Art Unit: 2664  
Title: MULTIPROTOCOL LABEL SWITCHING ROUTERS

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**RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In response to the Office Action mailed February 27, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to consider the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the Application as follows.